

Stolen and Otherwise

There are no railroad mergers in the republic of Mexico.

The rains in New Mexico this week assure good grass for the millions of sheep on the mesas of the territory.

New Mexico is in healthy financial condition. On the first of June the territorial treasury contained \$353,095.34.

The Washington Star says that it is a lucky farmer who can depend on irrigation instead of waiting for rain.

Kansas will soon be all right and will harvest immense crops, and by fall will be loaning money to the people who are now sending aid to that state.

All the loafers and looters in the flooded cities should be put to work cleaning up debris, even if they must be chained and starved to make them labor for food.

The Salvation army is to invade the feud districts of Kentucky, under the auspices of a wealthy ex-confederate who promises to finance the expedition.

Oklahoma has five times as much money in the national irrigation fund as New Mexico can claim. New Mexico needs irrigation five times as badly as Oklahoma. But this does even up matters, by any means.

Mexico has decided to experiment in the matter of government ownership and control of the National railroad and the outcome will be awaited with interest in this country, where there are many who believe government ownership of railroads is a matter of vital importance.

New Mexico has no disasters to report. The people in every portion of the territory are prospering. With the best climate in the world, no floods, no cyclones, no crop failures, this country is a paradise in comparison with the water soaked communities of the Missouri valley region.

Valley farmers should make enough profit this year of abundant river water to pay for irrigation pumps for use in dry years. There is water at shallow depth beneath every farm in the valley and certainly pumping is not too expensive when it needs to be used to prevent crop failure and damage to orchards.

Rev. Skinner and his defenders contend that 90 per cent of the population of New Mexico are illiterate. The Las Vegas Advertiser says that Manuel C. de Baca, who made the canvas of precinct 26. of the old town last week reports that in that precinct he found 1,164 persons of all ages 927 of whom could read and write; 38 illiterate were found over the age of 10 years and 299 illiterate under the age of 10; 130 of these are under the age of 5 years. If some mathematical prodigy will take the pains to figure out this he will find a considerably larger per cent of intelligence in that precinct than the average accorded Massachusetts with its cultured Boston.—Citizen.

Required of Teachers

Santa Fe, June 10.—The territorial board of education decided that in the future all applicants

for second grade teachers' certificates must pass satisfactory examinations in arithmetic, geography, orthography, reading, grammar, history, physiology, elementary pedagogy, and penmanship, while applicants for first grade positions must in addition pass examinations in civil government, elementary algebra, advanced pedagogy, elements of zoology and botany.

Irrigation Scheme.

The man who can improve the present way of irrigating by the ditch process, so that the cost will be less will be doing a good thing for his fellow men.

R. H. Greenleaf, who lives on North Fourth street, has improved on the old method of irrigation, so he thinks.

Mr. Greenleaf, who has an inventive sort of mind, has dug a well and put in a small pump, with a capacity of 1,000 gallons an hour. The apparatus is run by steam and can be operated at very small expense. Mr. Greenleaf will soon put in a reservoir for the underflow though one well is inexhaustible and he thinks he has solved the cheaper and more practicable way of irrigating. His scheme will be watched with interest. If it works he believes all the land on the mesa east of the city and up to the foot of the mountains, can be made garden spots.—Citizen.

For Those Who Live on Farms.

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National Educational Association, Boston, Mass. \$62.00 round trip from Deming choice of routes. Tickets on sale June 30 to July 2, inclusive. Original return limit may be extended to September 1, 1903.

International Convention United Society of Christian Endeavor, Denver Colo. Round trip from Deming \$38.05. Tickets on sale July 6, 7 and 8. Return limit good to leave Colorado July 26th. Reduced rates to California and Grand Canon will be made during the meeting for the benefit of those who may desire to extend their journey.

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